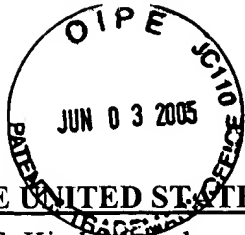


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**RESPONSE UNDER 37 CFR § 1.111**

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This responds to the Office Action dated December 29, 2004. Please amend the above-identified patent application as follows.

This response is accompanied by a Petition, as well as the appropriate fee, to obtain a two-month extension of the period for responding to the Office Action, thereby moving the deadline for response from March 29, 2005 to May 29, 2005. This response is timely as submitted on May 31, 2005, since May 29 falls on a weekend and May 30, 2005 was an official holiday.